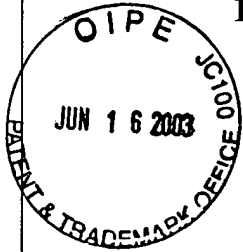


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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR  
1.136(a)**


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| Customer Number      | 24353              |
| Application Number   | 09/817,360         |
| Confirmation Number  | 2345               |
| Filing Date          | March 20, 2001     |
| First Named Inventor | GERMAN, MICHAEL S. |
| Examiner Name        | WHITEMAN, BRIAN A. |
| Group Art Unit       | 1635               |
| Attorney Docket      | UCSF-129CIP        |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$ 410.00  
☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 205.00

**The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0815. If additional fees are required, including extensions of time, please consider this a petition therefore. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

- I am the:
- ☐ applicant/inventor  
☐ assignee of record of the entire interest.  
 See 37CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) is enclosed.  
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